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- EP 0 265 545 A discloses an inhalation apparatus. The reference has been cited under Category A as being relevant to International claims 1-10. No translation is available at this time, however, attached is an English language abstract.

- U.S. Patent 4,949,715.

- DE 199 49 633 A1 discloses a device for supply of breathing gas to patient under excess pressure, has main part and control device on extended circuit board elements of large area along upper horizontal inner side of housing. No translations are available at this time, however, attached is an English language abstract.

Consideration of the above references is requested.

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